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Applicants: Bea CALO et al.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JANUARY 12, 2005

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 23313-1450 June 6, 2005

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the above-named office action to highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

In response to the Office Action Of January 12, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 12 of this paper and include 18 replacement sheets.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

An Appendix including 18 replacement sheets of drawing figures is attached following page 11 of this paper.